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FROM : Chief, I/SH

SUBJECT:

Interim Study of USSR Shipyards in Economic Region IIa - 35.246(a) Interim Study of USSR Shipyards in Economic Ragion IIb - 35.246(b)

1. Four copies of the subject studies are forwarded herewith. These studies are designed to serve the following purposes:

a. To assist analysts in I/SH in preparing estimates and in evaluating intelligence reports.

b. The third page of each individual yard study will, after coordination with ONI and AFOIN, serve as part (b) of our collection guide.

- c. To serve as the basis of coordination between I/SH, ONI and AFOIN in the Ad Hoc Committee on Shipbuilding.
- 2. Only material contained in the Industrial Register and in the files of I/SH have been used in compiling these studies.
- 3. Both ONI and AFOIN have agreed to study these reports and to coordinate same at the ad hoc meetings as time will permit. Our Branch copy of individual yard studies will be revised as necessary to reflect such coordination.
- 4. One set of available graphics is included in the copy retained by I/SH. This copy will be used for coordination.
- 5. In view of the limited sources used and the intended use of these studies, it is recommended that they not be published. of ST/PB concurs in this opinion and suggests that it be numbered as an I.P.

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